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School Question Discussed At Meeting

With nearly 100 ratepayers of the district present, a very profitable meeting was held in the Opera House, Monday night, with Chairman C. F. Tollestrup of the School Board in the Chair. He explained the purpose of the meeting was to discuss with the Ratepayers the financial condition of the district and get their opinion as to a course of action. He then asked O. H. Snow, Sec. Treas. of the Town of Raymond to explain the percentage of taxes collected, and the outlook for further collections this fall in view of the crop conditions.

The meeting was then opened for suggestions and comments from the meeting and the tenor of the speeches were that our schools must carry on full strength. The idea of sacrificing the future of our boys and girls was unthinkable, and every possible effort should be made to collect taxes. It was no favor to allow people's taxes to get in arrears, and the meeting voted heartily in favor of seizures of taxes being placed on the crops, and a Committee representing the Town Council and the School Board was appointed to meet with the Municipal Council and ask them to allow seizures to be placed to guarantee payment of sufficient taxes to keep the schools operating.

The meeting resulted in a much better understanding between the Ratepayers and the officials of the Town and School and more co-operation on all sides in striving to solve the problems that confront us all.

NEWS NOTES

Vern Henry was painting the steel awning in front of the Merc. on Wednesday.

J. Downing of the Medicine Hat News Job Department was a caller at the Recorder Office on Thursday.

With good weather the harvesting of the wheat crop this year will be over by this time next week. Yields are very disappointing and returns on the present market price will be very small.

The Sale of Lands for Taxes is to take place Saturday, August 15th. A number of valuable properties within the Town limits will go on the block that day unless their owners move fast to make arrangements for their redemption.

Dr. J. E. Lovering passed away in Lethbridge Tuesday evening at the age of 64 years. He had been coroner for a number of years and had handled several cases locally in that capacity. He also practised in Magrath in his earlier residence in Alberta.

Announcement is made that British Columbia will surface the main highway from Kingsgate to Radium Hot Springs, & that the contract has already been let. This will be a wonderful improvement, and will be a drawing card for tourists. At present the grave in this section of the highway is dusty, and in the forests where the breeze can't get at it hangs like a cloud, making the drive very dangerous and uncomfortable. All our main highways NEED surfacing and the Government should start a road program to that end NOW.

REGISTRATION UNDER WAY

Registration of citizens for the Basic Dividend commenced Friday morning in the old Sugar City Municipal office with Delbert G. Selman in charge and a staff of assistants to help those coming to register. It is hoped to have the registration completed by Saturday evening of next week.

Those helping in the office are E. L. Spackman, Geo. Fairbank, Ralph Powelson, Mr. and Mrs. J. LeRoy Anderson, Mrs. Frank Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Weed, Owen Lee and Alma Hancock. The clerks will work in two shifts from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. each day so that all who desire to may register anytime within those hours.

WEDDING BELLS

CARD — COYLE

A wedding of interest to Raymond people was solemnized in Calgary at 1:30 p.m. Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, when Lillian May, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Coyle of Calgary, was married to Stewart Booth, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Card, Raymond. The Rev. Geo. Peacock performed the ceremony in the presence of the parents of both parties who were in attendance at the ceremony.

Miss Nellie Coyle, sister of the bride acted as bridesmaid, and the best man was Norman McLean, brother-in-law of the bride.

The newlyweds and the parents of the groom as well as his sister, who was present at the ceremony, returned to Raymond Sunday evening, and after a few days the newlyweds will leave for Portland, and other coast points on their honeymoon trip. They are receiving the congratulations and best wishes of their many friends here for a happy married life.

Miss Coyle, the bride, has worked in the Bank of Montreal here for some time, and since his return from his mission in France Booth has helped his father in the Service Station & Oil business here in Raymond, and will continue this work after their return.

NEWS NOTES

G. G. McRae of the Mid West Paper Sales, Calgary was in town on his regular visit on Thursday.

Painters of the North Star Oil Co. were in town this week freshening up Porter's Garage some. It added to the signs to have them freshly painted.

Flower gardens are a beautiful profusion of bloom at the present time, but in places they need water very badly. Gardens are also suffering from the drought.

Medicine Hat jobless are on strike for a cash system of relief, and an increase of from 30 to 40 cents per hour in the rate of pay.

We represent the Lethbridge Memorial Funeral Home in Lethbridge, one of the leading mortuaries of the city, and they maintain a first-class funeral service. We can be reached day or night; Office, phone 24, Residence 28. Call us for service.

David L. Galbraith Passes Away

David L. Galbraith, aged 53, passed away Wednesday morning at about 6:30 at his home here, in the presence of his children and family relatives, who had been summoned Tuesday afternoon while he was so low that death was expected at any moment.

"Dave" as he was known to his many friends had been in ill health for a long while. Last winter he underwent an operation for tonsils, and other troubles, in the hope of regaining his health. He did improve some, but it was only temporary, and during the spring and summer he commenced to fail again. Despite his weakened condition he had been getting around more or less, assisting in supervising operations at the farm. About ten days before his passing, however, he had to go to bed, and he gradually grew weaker until the end came. He had been a hard worker and very ambitious and of a nervous temperament his sickness worried him continually, which probably hastened his passing.

He moved to the district in 1904, coming here from Mexico where the family had spent some

years. He served a two years mission in the Southern States, and after returning was married, four children coming into the home. His wife, Stella, died 13 years ago, and since that time Dave has remained a widower, lavishing his affections on his children, who have received every advantage in schooling and education that they expressed a desire for. His son Garth is married, the rest of the children being still single. Deceased was a faithful Church member of the L.D.S. church, and his dependability and integrity was a source of comfort to the officers of Ward and Stake, who knew they could depend on Dave to carry out his responsibility. For years he was President of the Fourth Quorum of Elders, and there are many Elders in the Stake who are better men for the teachings and example of D. L. Galbraith.

Funeral services will be held in the Stake House at 2 p.m. Sunday with the Second Ward Bishopric in charge. The sympathy of the community is extended to the children in their hour of sadness over the death of their father.

Conference Next Wednesday, Thursday And Friday

Quarterly Conference of the Taylor Stake of Zion will be held next week, commencing with the Stake Reunion and party in honor of the retiring Stake Presidency on Wednesday the details of which will be found elsewhere in this paper.

Wednesday evening at 7:30 a meeting will be held in the Stake House, Raymond.

Thursday evening, at 7:30 meeting will be held in Welling when the Chapel will be dedicated.

Friday evening at 7:30 a meeting will be held in the Assembly

ly Hall at Magrath, so that all the Stake will have a chance to hear the visitors.

Representing the General Authorities of the Church will be Elder Melvin J. Ballard of the Council of the Twelve, and Elder Antoine R. Ivins, junior member of the First Seven Presidents of Seventy, who will attend all the Canadian Stake Conferences. The convention meetings of the Conference will be held on Thursday during the forenoon and afternoons, an announcement being made later as to the details.

News Notes

The Prosperity Certificates are going to church anyway, one was placed in the collection plate at Provost, Alta., last Sunday.

Northern Saskatchewan has 75 forest fires burning from four major outbreaks, each of which covers a township. Hundreds of men are fighting the flames.

While we are dried out, 20,000 homes in India have been ruined by floods, and potatoes and other root crops in the United Kingdom in parts, have been rotted out by the excessive moisture. It is a funny old world.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wall returned last week from a month's vacation with some of their children in Oregon and Washington. They returned with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Wall and report a most enjoyable time every day of their trip while away. Johnny seems to be ten years younger than before he went away.

1,000 citizens were registered in Lethbridge in two days, according to reports of those in charge of the registration bureaus.

It won't be long until the school bell will ring again. What sorrow this will bring to the children.

Bob, son of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Holmes fell in the barn Wednesday and broke his arm right in the wrist joint. The arm is set but it will be in a cast for weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Huddle have been enjoying an extended visit from two of their daughters recently, Mrs. A. J. Glinkie of Wheeler, Mich., and Mrs. Gordon of Vancouver, B. C. The ladies are having a wonderful time renewing old acquaintances in Raymond, their former home, and are pleased with the continued progress of the town, during their absence. Needless to say, Mr. and Mrs. Huddle are thoroughly enjoying the visit and association of their daughters.

Town Council Meet In Regular Session

TAYLOR STAKE REUNION AND FRIENDSHIP TESTIMONIAL FOR

PRESIDENT H. S. ALLEN, O. H. SNOW, and J. W. EVANS

AUGUST 19th, 1936

First Assembly — 3:45 p.m., Agricultural School Grounds, Raymond, Alberta.

Special Events—Soft Ball Contest—High Council versus Bishoprics. Under the direction of the M.I.A.

Horse Shoe Contest—Ward Champions versus Stake Champions. Each ward and branch to select two players.

PROGRAM NUMBERS

5: p.m. Picnic Supper in family and ward groups. Each family to arrange their picnic and provide a little for our visitors. The ward primary association, Relief Societies will arrange bait, punch and ice-cream cones.

Adjournment — 6:30 P.M. Conference Session — Taylor Stake House 7:30 P.M.

Special Musical Program—Under the direction of the Stake Sunday School.

Presentations to the Stake Presidency—Conference session addressed by Apostle Ballard.

The evening will be a Junior Dance in the Second Ward Pavilion, free of charge. Stake members and visitors 12 to 16 years from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.

10: p.m. Closing Dance and Social—Second Ward Pavilion for all adult visitors. Under the direction of the M.I.A.

Please help to make welcome and entertain our visitors from other Stakes.

NEWS NOTES

\$20,000 in Property Certificates were mailed out of Calgary on Wednesday.

Lethbridge exhausted their supply of Certificate stamps on Wednesday, and a hurry up call was put in for another supply of the little green decorations.

Lethbridge is planning an experiment at surfacing roads with the refuse oil from the Haff Refinery at Lethbridge. If this works out satisfactorily it should be a boon not only to the city of Lethbridge having the oil so handy, but also to the Refinery to dispose of their refuse oil.

S. M. Dyson returned home Monday from attending the Scout Camp at Sylvan Lake. Sam reports a very enjoyable time & a very profitable course in Scouting. He says the crops up there look beautiful and the wild berries and fruits are bearing in abundance. The dry conditions surrounding Raymond are a decided contrast to the green fields and hills of the Sylvan Lake district.

In an effort to assist stockmen of the drought areas of Western Canada, Hon. W. N. Chant Minister of Agriculture has announced that freight rates on drought cattle are to be cut one-third, and that where stockmen need it the Provincial Government will assume the other two-thirds of the rates so that cattle may be moved out free to the owner in cases where circumstances warrant it. There is no question but what many cattle will be moved to new winter quarters under these terms.

The meeting of the Town Council was held Thursday night at the Town Hall. Loyd McPhee the new Council man was assigned to the Finance, Works and Property and Light and Water Committee for the balance of this year.

Several delegations were present respecting water arrears, tax consolidations, and letters read from two parties respecting redemption of property up for sale. The water and consolidation matters were turned over to the Finance and the Water Committees. Respecting the redemption of property the Council decided to take title, and then negotiate an agreement of sale with the owners to redeem their several pieces of property.

Two hospital accounts were refused on the grounds that they were not the responsibility of the Town. A request for refund of Poll Taxes to some who have been in Picture Butte for the spring and summer was refused on the ground that it had been collected according to law and should belong to this School district.

A number of matters in respect to tax settlements, and health and relief were turned over to the various committees.

A motion was passed to allow 10% discount on Tax Arrears paid from now to December 1st. The 5% discount on current taxes is in effect also until then.

A suggestion was made that Bicycles be licensed, and the Solicitor asked to draw up a by-law covering same for next meeting. The License and police Committee was asked to appoint a Pound Keeper and see that the streets were kept clear of stray stock.

A special meeting was called for August 27th to discuss and act upon a Medical Contract for the Town. This matter has been discussed briefly several times but time has never been sufficient to decide on any specific course. The special meeting will concern itself with this matter only, and the Health and Relief Committee, before that time will study the proposed plans and bring in a recommendation. It is expected too, that the Town and Municipality will act jointly in this matter.

SCHOOL STARTS

AUGUST 31st.

School in both public and High School will commence Monday, August 31st. The buildings are being renovated at present, and will be in readiness for the opening. The Board is introducing three new courses in the High School, viz. Junior Business, Art and Dramatics. If we understand the situation correctly the Board had a choice of six optional courses, and these three were chosen, which will give the student the option of dropping some of the courses which have been obligatory and choosing one or all of these.

The staff for the coming year will be as follows: High School; Paul H. Redd, Principal, F. Donald Merrill, Lyman H. Jacobs, H. Dean Rofson, Melvin T. King and Miss Kitlitz, L. L. Carter Janitor. Public School; J. O. Hicken, Principal, Milo C. Vance, who will teach Grade VIII at the High School, J. L. Glibb, K. G. Woolley, and Misses Gladys James, Beulah Page, G. Riches, Myrtle Johnson, Beth Walker, Velma Melrum, Ruth Kimball, Nonie Watson, Velma Nalder and Lenore Scoville.

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LET US PAY OUR TAXES

Before another issue Raymond will have held a Tax Sale, and titles to several homes will be transferred to the Town, the owner & builder having lost his right to further occupancy of the premises.

Since the advertising of this Tax Sale the members of the Council and Town employees have been the subject for sharp criticism and unsavory remarks about a body of men that would sell a widow's house over her head, and similar statements about unfortunate citizens who have left their taxes unpaid until they are in this unhappy position.

Might we suggest that critics consider the question from the angle of the man and the woman who does pay their taxes. We have dozens of widows who care for their families and pay their taxes, water, and other expenses regularly. We also have elderly taxpayers who see that their accounts with the Town are squared up before the end of every year. These people furnish the money with which to run the Town and the Schools. These are the people who are educating the children of the non-taxpayer, who are keeping the public services of the Town functioning and who are interested in the welfare of the Town and show it by their actions.

On the other hand we have citizens who leave their taxes

until every desire of their hearts is granted, and then, if they have enough left they pay some taxes. No one wants to tell a person how to spend their money. Every right thinking person should realize however, that taxes and water rights should be a first charge against the produce of farm and field, and should budget first and foremost for these things. That this is not done is proven by the tremendous amount of tax arrears on the books of the Town and School, and the fact that the same group of taxpayers let these matters slip annually. If every dollar of arrears could be collected, the Town and School could operate for two years without another cent being collected.

What is the solution? It would appear that taxpayers should make an effort to commence now reducing their arrears and paying current taxes, even if they have to sacrifice some of the desires of the hour to do it. They say it can't be done. Officials say it must be done. The School must operate, the services of the Town be kept intact, and the revenue from tax collections is the only way to accomplish this. Taxes have been increased beyond actual needs because more than a 60 p.c. collection of the levy has been thought improbable.

Is it not time in view of the fact that some of us have been boarding free in the matter of education and public services on our fellow men that we came to

In a particularly dry region of the American West we drove into a filling station and, by way of starting up a conversation with the proprietor, we asked:

"Well, do you think it is going to rain?" The old fellow very seriously replied: "I sure hope so, for my boy's sake; it doesn't matter about me—I've seen rain."—From the Calgary Cog.

our sense and decided to carry our sense and decided to carry our share of the load. Wipe these arrears off and pay current taxes so that our mill rate could be lowered to the least possible assessment and thus keep our citizens contented and happy to live in such a splendid town as Raymond.

After all these things are YOUR problems. Think them over and ask yourself what you would do under the circumstances we find ourselves in.

SAPPY DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN

That's the way the crabby office bachelor put it when he read that in two boroughs of New York City June brides led 1,358 more grooms to the altar than were wedlocked last year. Crabby dotes on the divorce scandals so he doesn't realize that there are many men who have been married many years who can say as did Elbert Hubbard, "I have never fully analyzed the mind of the woman I love, for there is always and forever an undiscovered residuum of wit, reason, logic, invention and comparison bubbling forth that makes association with her a continual delight. I have no more sounded the depths of her soul than I have my own."

"What she will say and what she will do are delightful problems; only this, that what she says and what she does will be regal, right, gracious, kindly—tempered with a lenity that has come from suffering, and charged with a sanity that has enjoyed, and which knows because through it plays unweaved the Divine Intelligence that rules the world and carries the planets in safety on their accustomed way—this I know."

"Having such a wife as this I do not chase the ghosts of dead hopes through the graveyard of my dreams. She has proved herself an ideal mother in that all brooding tenderness and loving service which is con-

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN ALBERTA—JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF LETHBRIDGE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GUSTAF GLASBRENNER, late of the City of Minneapolis, in the State of Minnesota, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named GUSTAF GLASBRENNER, who died on or about the 20th day of January 1936, are required to file with the undersigned Administrator of the said Estate by the 15th day of September 1936, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the said Administrator will distribute the assets of the Deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their notice.

DATED this 22nd day of July, A. D. 1936.

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- 100 Dwarf Delphiniums, in blue or white; mostly white; each 10c; doz. \$1.00
- 1,000 Dianthus Deltoides, (Rock Pink), each 5c; doz. 50c
- 500 Dianthus Crenatus, each 7 1/2c; doz. 75c
- 2,000 Tenuifolium Lillies, (Coral Lillies) Blooming Size, each 7 1/2c; doz. 75c
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WEEKLY LETTER

WEATHER DATA FOR CROP

YEAR 1935 - 1936

The crop year is about ended on most of the wheat farms of Southern Alberta, and so it might be of interest to review the weather conditions for this year as secured by the meteorological department at the Experimental Farm and compare this year with past seasons.

Temperature, precipitation, sunshine, wind and evaporation observations are made at Experimental Station. This year a number of weather records have been broken especially in the temperatures and precipitation. Last winter was one of the coldest experienced since temperature records were first secured in 1902. February was especially cold. It had the lowest mean temperature for any February on record, the average for that month having been 10.2 below zero, while the next lowest recorded in February was 4 above zero in 1904. The lowest mean maximum and minimum records for February were broken by a wide margin this year. The lowest mean maximum was 1.1 above in 1936 & 15.8 above in 1904. The lowest mean minimum for February was 21.4 below zero in 1936 and 7 below zero in 1922, which was the next lowest since 1902.

February was not only a record month for low average temperatures, but it experienced less wind than any February on record indicating an absence of the westerly "Chinook." The total wind mileage was 4,310 in 1936 and 6463 in 1929, which was the previous low record for February. It seems quite evident from the above that last February was the coldest February experienced since weather records have been kept in Lethbridge.

Nature seemed to be trying to balance up her temperatures

by making this one of the hottest summers on record. This was especially true of the month of July which had the highest mean temperatures yet recorded for any month. The average temperature for July 1936 was 70.3 degrees above zero. The next highest was in 1906 with 69.0.

The precipitation from August 1, 1935 to August 1, 1936 was 12 inches. This was not a low record for 12 months' precipitation, the total precipitations for the 12 months of 1904, 1909 '10, '18, '31 and '35 having been lower than the last 12 months. The average, however for the past 34 years was 15.7 inches or about 3 3/4 inches more than this year. The really disastrous time this year was the month of July, which was extremely dry, as we all so well know. Only .41 inch of precipitation was received at Lethbridge while the average precipitation for this month over a 34-year period was 1.68 inches. July 1908 and July, 1910, however, had lower July rainfalls.

The influence of heat on evaporation is shown quite clearly by the evaporation records. The total evaporation from a water surface in a land tank was 8.86 inches as compared to 8.03 in which was the previous high record. This high evaporation was secured regardless of the fact that the total wind mileage was the third lowest of any July since wind records have been secured, which dates back 15 years.

This has been a year of extremes, perhaps one of those that fathers will tell their children about. We always hope that next year will be better.

Fall wheat on the dyked lands of the Kootenay River in B.C., near Creston report a yield of 37 bushels per acre of winter wheat. A fleet of 16 combines was waiting to sail in to the spring wheat acreage as soon as it was ready.

Good Service Counts

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BUT THE WHOLE JURY NEEDS TO BE CONVINCED.

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PANTRY SHOWER HELD

A pantry shower for Mrs. Jas. Still, who has been in the Hospital for ten days past was held on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Frank Shaw, Tuesday afternoon this week. A nice lot of parcels were brought by the ladies attending, and the sponsors Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. D. S. Richardson take this opportunity of thanking all those who helped to make the afternoon such a success.

A despatch Tuesday stated that only 2 out of 218 merchants in Edmonton were handling Prosperity Certificates with out reservations. 92 absolutely refuse to accept them at all.

Silence still prevails with respect to resumption of work on the Stirling-Raymond road on which such a good start has been made. Everyone is hoping the project will be carried to a successful completion.

When a C.P.R. eastbound passenger train crashed into a car on a crossing of a little used road near Bellevue, Sunday afternoon, six persons, 4 young ladies and two men were killed when their car was carried more than 50 feet and over two rail guards. They were on their way to a wedding celebration in Blairmore when the tragedy occurred.

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THE TREATMENT OF BACKACHE

Some of the possible causes of backache were considered in the last article, although in such a short space only the more common causes could be mentioned. How can it be treated?

Needless to say—and yet it does need to be said repeatedly—no treatment can be prescribed until the cause of the backache be known. That means a thorough physical examination, not only of the back but of the entire body. In certain forms of backache x-rays may be necessary. The habits and posture of the patient may need to be studied.

Having established a correct diagnosis, what of the treatment. Obviously, this will depend entirely upon the condition found, and is a decision which should be left to a competent physician. Certain general suggestions, however, may prove helpful.

If due to fatigue only, rest alone is usually sufficient. However, heat applied to the back is very soothing, as is also massage.

If there be a back spasm from torn muscle fibres or from a ligamentary tear, it is amazing what relief may come from massage, gentle at first, to get the "confidence" of the muscles then gradually working deeper, but never with violence. Heat is very helpful; electrical treatments are often helpful if intelligently utilized, but for home use the ordinary electric coil with the copper reflector is very serviceable. So is the good old fashioned method of "ironing" the patient, through several sheets of brown paper but keep the iron moving!

Inflammatory conditions, in addition to the above, require a search for the possible cause of the infection. Suspect the usual foci, teeth, tonsils, nose and sinuses, bowel, gall-bladder, prostate and the neck of the womb when children have been born.

In certain inflammatory types various drug preparations have been found to be almost a specific relief in other cases special sedative are advisable. In either instance the choice should be determined by the physician in charge.

Should the patient rest or exercise? This depends entirely upon the cause. Rest in bed is essential in some cases; in others there should be exercise, and sometimes firm manipulation, even under anaesthesia, to break down old adhesions. Again, depending upon the cause, other patients may require a spinal cast, a special brace or may need surgery in some other part of the body.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College St. Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

NEWS NOTES

The first stamps on Prosperity Certificates were due on Wednesday. What about certificates that are of this issue and not in circulation yet? Who stamps them?

The printing of the forms for the Basic Dividend, also the Pass Book for use in the credit houses is going ahead in Calgary now in one of the print shops. Premier Aberhart states that if people do not sign up on the covenant forms in goodly numbers they may delay the payment of the Dividends.

Monday night's paper stated that merchants in High Prairie were discounting scrip 20p.c. Maybe they figure on holding it a long while and want this 20 p.c. to help pay for the stamps with. There should be no need of discounting it at all if we can keep it circulating. Of course, if it is going to pile up on itself, then we have a different question entirely.

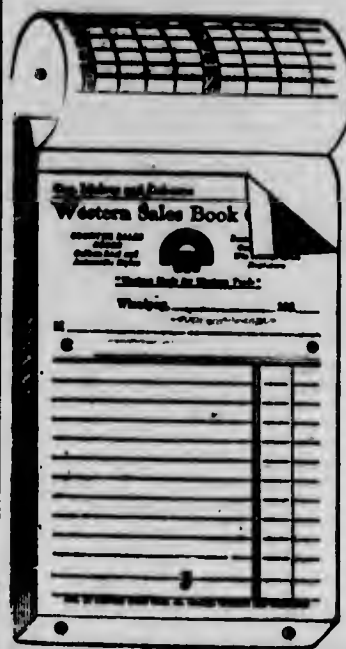
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A MALICIOUS PRACTISE

Had we the power to give any town one gift, says the Lucknow Sentinel, we would give it freedom from gossip. That gift would mean as much, perhaps more happiness than anything we could think of.

Gossip, plain-devil-tongued gossip about other people and their affairs is one of the outstanding social curses of our day. More unhappiness is caused by the careless repetition of guesses, rumors, scandals, half-truths, and untruths than by any other one cause.

It may be that all communities are alike in this respect—probably they are—but we are safe in saying that some towns have more than its full share of these people who seem to take an unholy delight in discussing freely with little thought of results, any and every matter concerning people. That there may be little or no truth in the remarks doesn't matter.

A little more consideration for

other people's feeling is a fine gesture one which might be well remembered the next time you feel inclined to pass an unkind remark about a person.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wing and family and the Misses McKay of Ogden, Utah, are spending a few days at Waterton.

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